



Department of Conservation and Recreation Commonwealth of Massachusetts

LISTENING SESSIONS

Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) Regulatory Reform

In March of this year, Governor Charlie Baker issued Executive Order No. 562, which has a stated goal of relieving the Commonwealth from the burden of unnecessary regulation through a statewide regulatory review process. In accordance with the process set forth by the Secretary for Administration and Finance, DCR is holding five listening sessions throughout the Commonwealth (see reverse side of this document) to gather feedback on its regulations. In addition to offering feedback at listening sessions, the public is invited to provide comments on DCR regulations by visiting the A&F portal for comments, http://www.mass.gov/anf/regreview.html or www.mass.gov/dcr/public-comment by October 30, 2015. In addition, DCR welcomes comments mailed to the DCR Office of Public Outreach, 251 Causeway Street, 6th Floor, Boston, MA 02114.

DCR's regulations are as follows:

302 CMR 3.00	Scenic and Recreational Rivers Orders
302 CMR 5.00	Ocean Sanctuaries
302 CMR 8.00	Major Capital Improvements within Mount Greylock State Reservation
302 CMR 10.00	Dam Safety
302 CMR 11.00	Parkways, Traffic, and Pedestrian Rules
302 CMR 12.00	Parks and Recreation Rules
302 CMR 14.00	Forester Licensing
302 CMR 17.00	Classification and Rating of Prospective Bidders
302 CMR 18.00	Aquatic Nuisance Control Program
304 CMR 7.00	Management Plans and Wildlands
304 CMR 8.00	Forest Classification Ch. 61
304 CMR 11.00	Forest Cutting Practices
304 CMR 12.00	Forest and Parks Rules
350 CMR 3.00	Pedestrian Rules
350 CMR 4.00	Traffic Rules
350 CMR 5.00	Parking and Penalties Therefor
350 CMR 8.00	Land within Watershed Reservations
350 CMR 11.00	Watershed Protection
801 CMR 4.02	Fees for Licenses, Permits, and Services to be Charged by State Agencies
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These regulations can be found on DCR's website, at http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/inside-our-agency/agency-regulations/.

After all the listening sessions have been held and the comment period has concluded, DCR will review all feedback and determine whether its regulations warrant amendment, rescission, or no change. If a regulation is sought to be amended or rescinded, DCR will follow the formal regulatory promulgation process, which will include a public comment period and, in many cases, public hearings.

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Tuesday, October 6, 2015, 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Myles Standish State Forest Barn - 194 Cranberry Road, South Carver, MA 02330

Thursday, October 8, 2015, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Community Rowing - 20 Nonantum Road, Brighton, MA 02135

Tuesday, October 13, 2015, 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. John Augustus Hall, DCR Watershed Division - 180 Beaman Street, West Boylston, MA 01583

> Thursday, October 15, 2015, 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Lawrence Heritage State Park - One Jackson Street, Lawrence, MA 01840

Tuesday, October 20, 2015, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. DCR West Region HQ, 740 South Street, Pittsfield, MA 01202